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In re Application of

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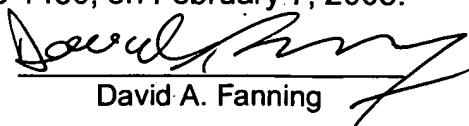
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND/OR ELECTION REQUIREMENT**


In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 2004, applicant hereby elects what the Examiner identified as Group I, claims 2-3 and 6-7, and species IV, claims 13, 17 and 18. Applicant understands that claim 1 links groups I-III and will be examined with the elected claims.

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